

# Morgan County Democrat.

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## Closing Out Sale!

## Ready-To-Wear Garments

The Fall and Winter Goods will soon be on the way and we must make room for the coming Season. See the extra Low Prices.

### LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS.

Each and every garment is strictly up-to-date and made by the best manufacturers in the east; here are a few of the extra good values: \$1.00, 1.25; 1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and \$2.50. Any of the waists are worth 35 to 50 per cent more.

Popper's Emporium.

### Matting Department.

We still have several nice patterns of Matting, we cannot sell them in winter time so we let go of them now at one fourth off the regular price.

Popper's For Matting.

### Embroidered Waist Patterns.

We still have a large stock to select from, not wishing to winter them over we have decided to sell them at prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$5.00 in order to sell them quick. They all go at one third off of the regular price.

Popper's Emporium.

### MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS.

See our line of Men's Dress Shirts at 50c, 75c, \$1, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00, there is nothing to compare with them at that price. Go to

Popper's for Shirts.

### Clothing Department.

Here is where the knife does its work. No attention is paid to what the goods are or will be worth, we must make room for others that are on the way. The entire summer stock must go. Summer Coats and Pants, a regular Outing Suit worth \$12, will go in this sale, including a Fancy Vest, for \$10.00.

### OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

### Summer Dress Goods

As well as the Entire Stock of

### Garments

### Odd Pants.

We have a large stock of single Pants, these also go with the rest at closing out prices.

**POPPER'S**  
**EMPORIUM FOR CLOTHING**

Remember that the rest of the Departments are full of good things at extra low prices.

YOURS TO PLEASE,

## A. POPPER,

Leader in Low Prices and First-Class Merchandise.

### H. K. ENLOE,

### RESIDENT DENTIST.

Office Phone 74. Residence Phone 39.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Monday was Democratic day in Versailles.

Good Fits Guaranteed in Clothing at the FAMOUS.

Postmaster J. W. Mills made a business trip to Jefferson City Tuesday.

C. H. A. Young and family enjoyed an outing down on the Osage this week.

Mrs. Luther Fry of Webb City is making a visit here with her parents, James McNair and wife.

The Latest New Idea 10c Patterns now on sale at Carl W. Biersach's, on the corner.

Mrs. J. C. Settle of St. Louis arrived here this week and is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Price.

Ben Goodman, who left here several weeks ago on a trip through Oklahoma, returned Tuesday and will remain in Versailles for the present at least.

Mrs. James McNair, who had been under treatment with a specialist in St. Louis arrived home Tuesday, with but little improvement in her condition.

Fred Nichols Manager of the Nat. Poultry and Egg Co., wants your produce, poultry, eggs, etc., and will, as he always has, pay the highest market price for the same.

Buy a copy of the Sunday Post-Dispatch from Warren Tillman, the agent, and read good fiction which is furnished at a high price. A copy of Sunday edition costs only 5c.

Circuit Court convened Monday morning with Judge W. H. Martin on the bench. The judge showed courtesy to the Democratic county convention by adjourning court at 11 o'clock to allow the Democrats the use of the circuit court room for their convention.

Shirts, Shirts, Shirts of all kinds, at the FAMOUS.

Private money to loan by Chas. Kavanaugh.

For fresh tender meats at all times, call on the Butcher and Grocer. C. H. PRICE.

Mrs. T. L. Townley of Texas, arrived here this week and is the guest of the family of her father, J. M. Clifton, and other old friends.

The new Democratic Central Committeemen for Versailles are E. M. Carter for the East ward and W. T. Petty for West ward, both are good selections.

John Miller's colored base ball team went to California last Sunday and cleaned up the "coons" of that place to the tune of 9 to 7 and got back home the same night.

Quite a crowd of base ball enthusiasts went to Eldon Wednesday and yesterday to see the game between Eldon and Versailles teams the game yesterday being a double-header.

Chairman T. G. Snorgrass of the old Democratic county committee came over from near Tipton Monday to attend the county convention, and was pressed in to jury service at circuit court.

Wray Witten, who has been in attendance at the State University arrived home last week for his vacation prior to the opening of the fall term of the Versailles public schools.

Why should you go elsewhere with your produce, poultry, eggs, etc., when you always get the highest prices and best treatment at the old standby, the Nat. Poultry House, Fred Nichols, Manager.

Mrs. B. F. Deihl of Salt Lake City, Utah, arrived here on Thursday of last week and will remain in this city with her mother, Mrs. E. S. Hunter. Mrs. Deihl was formerly in business in Salt Lake City.

W. R. Bond, who had been absent from here several years and who during his absence had made a tour of the Philippines and Hawaii, arrived in this city Tuesday and went to Barnett to visit his brother, T. P. Bond. His looks indicated that his tour had been very agreeable.

E. A. Williams, the South Side groceryman, handles a choice line of groceries and canned goods.

Still at the old stand and ready to pay the highest market prices for poultry, butter, eggs, junk, etc. Fred Nichols, Manager Nat. Poultry House.

Misses Ross Witten and Myra Stephens went to Eldon Wednesday as guests of Misses Opol Harvey and Maud Franklin. They also attended the Eldon-Versailles ball games.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hamlin of Jefferson City are the happy parents of a fine girl baby, which was reported to the grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Hamlin of this city the past week.

Miss Alpha Stephens, the sweet little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stephens, of Versailles, is visiting the family of her uncle, T. E. Stephens, and family, of Buncheon.—Buncheon Eagle.

Gov. John P. St. John of Brownsville, Texas, was here several days last week looking after some business matters. The Governor speaks in glowing terms of Texas and the country south of where he is located. He says it is God's country in reality.

The editor of this paper went to Versailles Saturday, on business. He found that enterprising little city enjoying a substantial growth and pursuing a liberal policy towards public and private enterprises that will make its future secure.—Smithton Sunbeam.

Circuit Court was occupied all day Tuesday on the case of the State vs. Bert Thruston charged with felonious assault, the trial being by jury. This is the case in which Thruston stabbed Dan Hester some time ago near their homes, owing to family trouble. The jury found Thruston guilty and assessed his fine at \$100.

Unusual interest attaches to the attraction at Krauss' Opera House Monday night, August 20, in that it will offer a series of moving pictures depicting the events attending the great earthquake disaster at San Francisco. Manager Krauss announces that the usual role will be deviated from somewhat. The performance will run for two hours and the management announces that the moving panorama will be complete, showing the disaster from the beginning to the end.

Chas. W. Kavanaugh the Abstractor would like to write your deeds, mortgages, contracts, etc.

A series of accurate and absorbingly interesting motion pictures of the San Francisco earthquake, and the attending fire will be exhibited at Krauss' Opera House Monday night, Aug. 20. The films run for two hours.

Mrs. Shores Williams and baby of East St. Louis made a visit here during the past week with relatives and friends, having accompanied her mother, Mrs. C. H. Mason, on her return visit from Raymond and other Illinois point.

Elder E. B. Woods, who is now holding the pastorate of the Christian church at Carson, Iowa, arrived in Versailles Tuesday to make a visit with his family and other friends. He will spend two weeks at home before returning to his Iowa field of labor.

Ben Clifton, son of Justice J. M. Clifton, who arrived home last week from Kansas City, and who has been suffering with Bright's disease, is rapidly improving since he came to Versailles. The healthful air of this locality has a decidedly favorable effect which his friends are glad to note.

Herbert S. Woods spent the past week in Fayetteville, Ark., where he visited the college in that city. He found the institution in pretty good shape, having had 500 students last year. Herbert stopped at Springfield on his return and states that they were having a hard time getting a jury to try the men implicated in the recent negro killing.

Jim Hubbard will depart for St. Louis about September 1st when he will enter Christian Brothers College where he will take an advanced college course covering five years. His father, Dr. J. D. Hubbard, will accompany him to the city and get him started in good shape. Jim is a close student and with proper application will make his mark in the future.

### When You Want LUMBER

Don't forget that it pays to see me before you buy.

H. F. Abell.

Bring your poultry, eggs, butter, hides and junk to the old reliable Nat. Poultry House, where you get the highest market prices and good treatment. Fred Nichols, Manager.

The change of time on the Branch of the Mo. Pacific went into effect last Monday morning and now the morning train arrives at 10 o'clock the afternoon train arriving in Versailles 4:50 reaching Tipton at 5:15. This causes the crew to lay over in Tipton at night making the run to Booneville early in the morning. The connections all along the line are made better by the change.

The game of ball that was to have been played here last Sunday afternoon between Versailles and Cole Camp did not materialize. The Cole Camp team came, but were disappointed in their pitcher and owing to delay at the grounds became disgusted and left for home. A large crowd who had assembled to see the game were sorely disappointed, but their money was returned, yet it was a mutual disappointment all around.

Seven young ladies held a pillow party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Krauss on North Monroe street last Saturday night, and it was a jolly affair. Any sleep that the ladies got had to be stolen, the floor and a pillow being the only couch to which they were entitled. As no one was asleep a splendid lunch at midnight was a most pleasing feature of the entertainment. Of course the pillows were laid aside while the lunch was served.

The Missouri Cannel Coal Company who are sinking a new mine on some of their coal property on the Miller county line southeast of Versailles have struck a vein of cannel coal which bids fair to be the best yet discovered in that territory. The company are still developing the find and will soon be in position to make a favorable report, but will not verify the find until they know positively what they have got. It will be given out in due time.

### Don't Blame Me!

It is not my fault. I have plenty of good tender Meats, and if you will persist in eating old tough stuff, keep it yourself.

C. H. MASON,  
The Get There Butcher.